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UTILITY PATENT APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL

(Only for new nonprovisional applications under 37 CFR 1.53(b))

APPLICATION ELEMENTS

See MPEP chapter 600 concerning utility patent application contents.

- Fee Transmittal Form (e.g., PTO/SB/17)
(Submit an original and a duplicate for fee processing)
- Applicant claims small entity status.
See 37 CFR 1.27.
- Specification [Total Pages 11]
 - Descriptive title of the invention
 - Cross Reference to Related Applications
 - Statement Regarding Fed Sponsored R & D
 - Reference to sequence listing, a table, or a computer program listing appendix
 - Background of the Invention
 - Brief Summary of the Invention
 - Brief Description of the Drawings (if filed)
 - Detailed Description
 - Claim(s)
 - Abstract of the Disclosure
- Drawing(s) (35 U.S.C. 113) [Total Sheets 3]
- Oath or Declaration [Total Pages 3]
 - a. Newly executed (original or copy)
Copy from a prior application (37 CFR 1.63 (d))
(for continuation/divisional with Box 18 completed)
 - i. **DELETION OF INVENTOR(S)**
Signed statement attached deleting inventor(s) named in the prior application, see 37 CFR 1.63(d)(2) and 1.33(b).
- Application Data Sheet. See 37 CFR 1.76

18. If a CONTINUING APPLICATION, check appropriate box, and supply the requisite information below and in a preliminary amendment, or in an Application Data Sheet under 37 CFR 1.76:

 Continuation Divisional Continuation-in-part (CIP)of prior application No.: 60,333,271

Prior application Information:

Examiner:

Group Art Unit:

For CONTINUATION OR DIVISIONAL APPS only: The entire disclosure of the prior application, from which an oath or declaration is supplied under Box 5b, is considered a part of the disclosure of the accompanying continuation or divisional application and is hereby incorporated by reference. The incorporation can only be relied upon when a portion has been inadvertently omitted from the submitted application parts.

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Under 37 CFR 1.16 and 1.17
- Applicant claims small entity status.
See 37 CFR 1.27

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FEE CALCULATION

1. BASIC FILING FEE

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101 740	201 370	Utility filing fee		370.00	
106 330	206 165	Design filing fee			
107 510	207 255	Plant filing fee			
108 740	208 370	Reissue filing fee			
114 160	214 80	Provisional filing fee			
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2. EXTRA CLAIM FEES

Total Claims	Independent Claims	Multiple Dependent	Extra Claims	Fee from below	Fee Paid
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4			1	1 X 42.00 =	42.00

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103 18	203 9	Claims in excess of 20			
102 84	202 42	Independent claims in excess of 3			
104 280	204 140	Multiple dependent claim, if not paid			
109 84	209 42	** Reissue independent claims over original patent			
110 18	210 9	** Reissue claims in excess of 20 and over original patent			
SUBTOTAL (2)		(\$ 412.00)			

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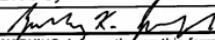
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105 130	205 65	Surcharge - late filing fee or oath				
127 50	227 25	Surcharge - late provisional filing fee or cover sheet				
139 130	139 130	Non-English specification				
147 2,520	147 2,520	For filing a request for ex parte reexamination				
112 920	112 920	Requesting publication of SIR prior to Examiner action				
113 1,840*	113 1,840*	Requesting publication of SIR after Examiner action				
115 110	215 55	Extension for reply within first month				
116 400	216 200	Extension for reply within second month				
117 920	217 460	Extension for reply within third month				
118 1,440	218 720	Extension for reply within fourth month				
128 1,960	228 980	Extension for reply within fifth month				
119 320	219 160	Notice of Appeal				
120 320	220 160	Filing a brief in support of an appeal				
121 280	221 140	Request for oral hearing				
138 1,510	138 1,510	Petition to institute a public use proceeding				
140 110	240 55	Petition to revive - unavoidable				
141 1,280	241 640	Petition to revive - unintentional				
142 1,280	242 640	Utility issue fee (or resue)				
143 460	243 230	Design issue fee				
144 620	244 310	Plant issue fee				
122 130	122 130	Petitions to the Commissioner				
123 50	123 50	Processing fee under 37 CFR 1.17(q)				
126 180	126 180	Submission of Information Disclosure Stmt				
581 40	581 40	Recording each patent assignment per property (times number of properties)				
146 740	246 370	Filing a submission after final rejection (37 CFR § 1.129(a))				
149 740	249 370	For each additional invention to be examined (37 CFR § 1.129(b))				
179 740	279 370	Request for Continued Examination (RCE)				
169 900	169 900	Request for expedited examination of a design application				
Other fee (specify) _____						
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